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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Wiener et al.

Docket No: ENT970827-1

Title: A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROVIDING UPDATED ENCRYPTION
KEY PAIRS AND DIGITAL SIGNATURE KEY PAIRS IN A PUBLIC KEY SYSTEM

To the Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
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 continuation in part (CIP) of Application Serial No. filed on ;
 divisional application of Application Serial No. filed on ;
 continuation of Application Serial No. filed on ;

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 2. Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney;
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 4. A petition to extend the response for a priority application identified above;
 5. An assignment assigning all rights in the above referenced patent application to Entrust Technologies Limited having a place of business at 750 Heron Road, Ottawa, Ontario Canada K1V 1A7;
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